Listing of Claims:

fuel pump.

- (Currently Amended) A feed unit for feeding fuel out of a fuel tank of a motor vehicle, comprising:
 - a baffle having a first chamber for collecting the fuel;
 - a fuel pump for sucking up the fuel;
 - a fuel-pump suction opening arranged in a vicinity of a bottom of the first chamber of the baffle:
 - a bottom valve arranged proximate the bottom of the first chamber, the bottom valve permitting a flow of fuel into the first chamber and preventing a flow of fuel out of the first chamber; and
 - a second chamber connected to the first chamber via a <u>throttle</u> valve;

 wherein the valve is a throttle valve, with a volumetric flow of fuel that is restricted by the <u>throttle</u> valve is <u>being</u> smaller than the volumetric flow fed by the
- (Previously Presented) The feed unit as claimed in claim 1, wherein the second chamber is manufactured integrally with the baffle.
- (Previously Presented) The feed unit as claimed in claim 1, wherein the first and second chambers are arranged at a same height.
- (Currently Amended) The feed unit as claimed in claim 1, wherein the <u>throttle</u> valve is arranged in a wall which is common wall to the first chamber and the second chamber.

- (Currently Amended) The feed unit as claimed in claim 1, wherein the second chamber
 (+3) is configured as an annular chamber which surrounds the first chamber.
- 6. (Previously Presented) The feed unit as claimed in claim 1, wherein the second chamber is arranged within the baffle and a common wall between the first chamber and the second chamber is lower than an outer wall of the baffle.
- (Currently Amended) The feed unit as claimed in claim 1, wherein the <u>throttle</u> valve is configured as an opening with a designated cross section.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The feed unit as claimed in claim 1, wherein the throttle valve throttles the volumetric flow, which flows from the second chamber into the first chamber, such that a level of fuel is equalized in three to five minutes after the fuel pump has stopped.
- (Previously Presented) The feed unit as claimed in claim 1, wherein the second chamber has a volume of approximately 10-20% of the volume of the baffle.